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Applicants: P. NENONEN, et al

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ENHANCING A DIGITAL IMAGE BY
APPLYING AN INVERSE HISTOGRAM-BASED PIXEL MAPPING
FUNCTION TO PIXELS OF THE DIGITAL IMAGE (Amended)

Group: 2625

Examiner: C. Sukhaphadhana

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 27, 2004

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within the third month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action dated March 26, 2004. A Credit Card Payment Form authorizing the amount of \$950.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 367.39427X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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